

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
Vacancy Announcement Number: NEGE07039078

Opening Date: June 18, 2007

Closing Date: July 16, 2007

Position: Structural Engineer, GS-0810-11/12

Salary: \$55,706 - \$86,801 Annual

Place of Work: US Army Engineer District, Baltimore, Engineering Division,
Any Branch

Duty Station: Baltimore, Maryland

Position Status: This is a Permanent position. -- Full Time

Number of Vacancy: 2

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Duties: You will perform structural engineering assignments consisting of complete segments of work for large, complex projects using established design criteria & directives. Prepare design narratives, structural design calculations, conventional & AutoCAD drawings for civil works & military construction projects. Determine critical loading conditions for which to use as basis for project design. Maintain knowledge of Corps design criteria & standards as well as industry standards & national codes. Develop cost estimates & schedule for completing assigned projects. Prepare technical specifications, amendments & engineering revisions for the above projects. Coordinate structural aspects of projects with architects and other engineers. Provide guidance to architect-engineers regarding structural design criteria & standards. Review shop drawings for structural aspects of construction projects to check for accuracy & to verify conformance to contract plans & specifications.

About the Position: This position is located at the Department of the Army, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Baltimore District, 10 South Howard Street, Baltimore, MD 21201.

Who May Apply:

- All Federal employees serving on a career or career-conditional appointment.
- Department of Defense employees serving on a Career or Career Conditional Appointment.
- Current Army employees with competitive status (includes Army employees serving on a career or career-conditional appointment).
- Reinstatement eligibles.
- NAF/AAFES Interchange Agreement eligibles.

- Veterans and preference eligibles under Veterans Employment Opportunities Act of 1998. (VEOA)
- Interagency Career Transition Assistance Plan (ICTAP) eligibles.
- Family member employees eligible under Executive Order 12721.
- DoD Interchange Agreement eligibles.

Qualifications:

SPECIALIZED EXPERIENCE: Qualified candidates for this position must show in their resume that they have training or experience in the following areas: (1) Knowledge and ability to perform structural engineering to include using established design criteria and directives. (2) Ability to prepare design narratives and AutoCAD Drawings. (3) Knowledge and ability developing cost estimates and schedules for completing assigned projects.

GS-11: Bachelor's degree directly related to this occupation and 1 year of experience directly related to this occupation equivalent to the next lower grade level, or 3 years of progressively higher level graduate education leading to a Ph.D. degree or Ph.D. or equivalent doctoral degree.

GS-12 and above: Bachelor's degree directly related to this occupation and 1 year of experience directly related to this occupation equivalent to the next lower grade level.

The experience described in your resume will be evaluated and screened for the Office of Personnel Management's basic qualifications requirements, and the skills needed to perform the duties of this position as described in this vacancy announcement.

Applicants who have held a General Schedule (GS) position within the last 52 weeks must meet the Time in Grade Restriction.

Education can be substituted for experience. Review the qualification requirements for specific information.

One year of experience in the same or similar work equivalent to at least the next lower grade or level requiring application of the knowledge, skills, and abilities of the position being filled.

Must have 52 weeks of Federal service at the next lower grade (or equivalent).

Only degrees from an accredited college or university recognized by the Department of Education are acceptable to meet positive education requirements or to substitute education for experience. For additional information, please go to the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) and U.S. Department of Education websites at -

<http://www.opm.gov/qualifications> and
<http://www.ed.gov/admins/finaid/accred/index.html>

On your resume, please include college/university, dates attended, degree achieved, semester hours earned, GPA, major field of study, 24 semester hours of specific courses and course hours in your major. Failure to provide this education information on your resume may result in an ineligible rating.

Foreign education must be evaluated for U.S. equivalency in order to be considered for this position. Please include this information in your resume.

Other Information:

- To successfully claim veteran's preference, your resume/supplemental data must clearly show your entitlement. Please review the information listed under the Other Requirements link on this announcement or review our on-line Job Application Kit.
- Management may select at any of the grade levels announced.
- Noncompetitive promotion potential to target grade.
- Multiple positions will be filled from this announcement.
- Selection is subject to restrictions resulting from Department of Defense referral system for displaced employees.
- The Department of Defense (DoD) policy on employment of annuitants issued March 18, 2004 will be used in determining eligibility of annuitants. The DoD policy is available on http://www.cpms.osd.mil/fas/staffing/pdf/rem_ann.pdf
- This is a Career Program Position (CP). # 18
- Temporary Duty (TDY) travel is 10 percent.

Other Requirements:

- Must be able to obtain and maintain a Secret security clearance.
- You will be required to provide proof of U.S. Citizenship.
- If selected, official college or university transcript must be submitted.
- License/Certification: Valid state drivers license
- Male applicants born after December 31, 1959 must complete a Pre-Employment Certification Statement for Selective Service Registration.
- Direct Deposit of Pay is required.
- Failure to provide all of the required information as stated in the vacancy announcement may result in an ineligible rating or may affect the overall rating.

HOW TO APPLY:

This position will be filled from the Army Centralized Resumix database using an

automated recruitment and referral system. Your resume must be on file with the Army Centralized Resumix database. If you have a resume on file with the Army Centralized Resumix database, you may apply by taking advantage of our quick self-nomination process. If you do not have a resume on file with the Army Centralized Resumix database, you must submit one along with the self-nomination. Both documents must be received in the Resumix database by the closing date of the announcement unless specifically stated in the instructions contained in this vacancy announcement.

RESUME:

If you do not have a resume on file with the Army Centralized Resumix database, you must submit one. It is strongly encouraged that you use the Army Resume Builder. The Army Resume Builder can be accessed by clicking on the link at the end of this vacancy announcement. It can also be found on the Internet at <http://www.cpol.army.mil>, click on Employment, click on **Build A Resume / Review Status**. The Army Resume Builder is used to create and store your resume. You do this by selecting Save Resume to Database. In order to receive consideration for vacancies, however, you must submit your resume to the Centralized Resumix database by going to the email page, selecting Central Database and clicking on the Submit button. Your resume will automatically flow into the Centralized Resumix database.

SELF NOMINATION:

If your resume is currently in our central database, you may Self-Nominate by going to the CPOL/CPOC Vacancy Announcement Board <https://cpolwapp.belvoir.army.mil/public/vabSelfNom/index.jsp>, scroll down to the bottom of the page and key (or cut and paste) the announcement number into the Search - Announcement field, select the announcement and go to the bottom and click on SELF NOMINATE. The form will appear that you need to complete to submit your self nomination.

Click here to use the [Army Resume Builder](#) - <https://cpolwapp.belvoir.army.mil/public/forward/VAB?id=rb> - to create your resume. Follow the instructions in this vacancy announcement to apply for the job.

- Resumes must be received by the closing date of this announcement.
- Self-nomination must be submitted by the closing date.
- Resume must be on file in our centralized database.
- Announcements close at 12:00am (midnight) Eastern Time.

Point of Contact:

Central Resume Processing Center, 410-306-0137, aplicanthelp@cpsrxtp.belvoir.army.mil

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Applicants will receive appropriate consideration without regard to non-merit factors such as race, color, religion, sex, national origin, marital status, sexual orientation except where specifically authorized by law, age, politics or disability which do not relate to successful performance of the duties of this position. Otherwise qualified applicants with disabilities who need reasonable accommodation may notify the agency Point of Contact on this announcement of their need.

SELECTION FOR THIS POSITION IS SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS RESULTING FROM DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE REFERRAL SYSTEM FOR DISPLACED EMPLOYEES.